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**REPLY/AMENDMENT  
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

AMOUNT ENCLOSED	0.00	Examiner Name	Herbert J. Lilling		
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**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 01/01/03)**

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	5	- 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	- 3 =	0	X \$ 84.00 =	0.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of May 23, 2004, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$410); 3 months (\$930); 4 months (\$1,450); 5 months (\$1,970));

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$320.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations =

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**TOTAL FEES DUE =**

- (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".
- (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".
- (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".
- (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

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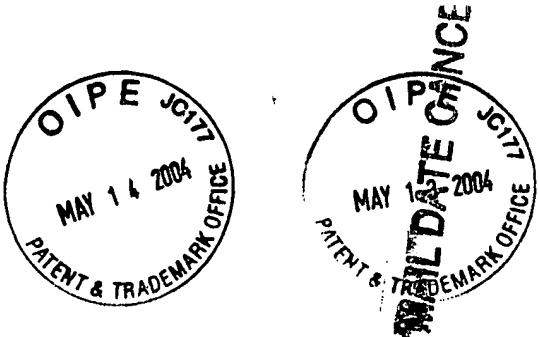
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- If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:  
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SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

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Docket No.: 1628.1002

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Daesang LEE et al.

Serial No. 10/070,316

Group Art Unit: 1651

Confirmation No. 4538

Filed: March 5, 2002

Examiner: Herbert J. Lilling

For: NOVEL STRAIN FOR DECOMPOSING TMAH, AND METHOD OF WASTEWATER  
TREATMENT USING THE SAME

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE REGARDING DRAWINGS**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attn: Joshua D. Chase  
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Publishing Division

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice Regarding Drawings mailed March 23, 2004, and  
having a period for response set to expire on May 23, 2004.

The following replacement drawings are respectfully submitted. The claims have been  
allowed and have not been changed.

**IN THE DRAWINGS:**

The Draftsman objected to FIGs. 1-10. In order to overcome these objections, replacement figures for FIGs. 1-10 (pages 1-15) are submitted herewith. Numbers and letter are uniformly thick and well defined, clean durable and black. Numbers and reference characters are plain and legible. Figure legends are now clear. Approval of these changes to the Drawings is respectfully requested.